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A DEMOCRATIC PRINCE. Some Englishman, we have forgotten his name, recently asserted that the bluest and most exclusive aristrocrat in the world was to be found among the wealth inheriting descendents of the Puritans and Cavallers of Ameria. He was, so claimed the writer, the most unapproachable-the proudest and the most pronounced exemple of Caste. Mesdames Vanderbilt, Berwind and Goelet who spend certain months of the social season in fashionable Newport do not, in very truth, bear names which can be directly traced to either Puritan or Cavaller, but they have been nurtured in the atmosphere of the most exclusive aristocrat who does, and it is not suprising if they have acquired his pride and habit. Prince Wilhelm, after all, is only a descendent of one of Napoleans' Marshals, the fortunate Bernadotte, who became Sweden's king only a little more than a century ago, and Napoleon said he made his marshals of mud. So possibly, Wilholm was not so much of an aristocrat as his hostesses. At any rate it appears to have been a shock to the Vandebilts, the Goelets and the Berwinds, to discover that their royal guest actually left their gorgeous ball room and danced with the servant girls. And the horror became more terrible, for the servant girls were

The news reports say that from Mrs. Vanderbilt down to the lowest eligible parasites of Newports elite scarcely one of the fashionable set spent less than a fortune to show Prince Wilhelm that America is able to entertain more revally than any court in Europe. They have mistaken, however, the aim of breeding. The monarchs of Sweeden and Norway have always been somewhat Democratic. They do not live in riotous luxury. They occupy royal position as a legal selection, not "Service for Service."

wearing their mistresses cast off

finery.

### THE COAL SUPPLY.

The magnitude of the undertaking to send the great fleet of American warships to the Pacific, becomes evident to the ordinary citizen when he learns the vastness of the coal shipments necessary to keep the fleet affoat as it proceeds on its long journey. Naval experts estimate that 100,554 tons of coal in addition to what the battleships will carry in their bunkers when they start will be required to make the trip. Besides this the torpedo boats will burn 13,000 tons. All told the quanity required is in the neighborhood of 125,000 tons. On the way to San Francisco the fleet will coal five times and the fuel must be distributed among the several stations equally. The first place is at Trinidad, the next Rio Janero, the next Sandy Point in the straits of Magelan and then at Callao, Peru, and this coal to the several stations, will be required.

The fact is emphasized that the Paratic coast can furnish no native tion. The brute dominated. coal for the use of the navy. This rational solution of this problem of all that makes the world fit to live in supplying this necessary munition of has grown into being. What men war; as a boon of inestimable value. have done to help one another tracted by my wife Maud Frey, At Coos Bay is to be found the only through the state and by individual signed:

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coal which is available south of action, has brought happiness and with the idea that it is a right di- Puget Sound on the Pacific any- comfort. In all enlightened states, vine. Bernadotte never lost his head where, but this is not sufficiently where this law of love is recognized, to that extent. Servant girls become developed nor, as yet, up to the American queens sometimes in this naval standard. Great hopes are inflicted in the dark ages, has been country and when Wilhelm chose to based, however, on the recent ex- abolished. Not so, it seems, in Oredance with the Sweedish servant periments at Jamestown which congirls he was not unmindful, perhaps, clusively show that the Pacific coals, ering on the verge of barbarism? that they were as good as the great of which those of Coos Bay are the Is it still within the shadow of the grandmothers of the Vanderbilts, most prominent can be briquetted dark ages? Why is corporal pun-Berwinds and Goelets or even of the and the elements supplied which ishment inflicted in the prisons of the Prince himself. Modern aristocracy will bring them up to the standard. state? Why was a convict whipped is not admirable except in the ranks Those who realize how scarce coal till he fainted from pain and exof those who have for a motto really is on this coast, appreciate the exceptional value of Coos Bay coal the grandest of all states of the and understand why this must be made a coaling station.

### WHIPPING CONVICTS.

Should a convict be whipped? In ancient times it was thought that no infliction of the knout or the whip. other method could be employed to correct the wrong doer. But in those days the theory was that the law had | some scheme of revenge for any infraction of its provisions. The old idea was that force only could be successfully applied to the criminal. It was not expected that any man should love the state and so the state presented a force of tenor and stretched forth the arm of affliction. The old Mosaic law prescribed "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." That law was repealed by a greater man than Moses who enacted lagers, including women and childa substitute in these words, "Love ye ren, have been slaughtered. Many one another;" "Do unto others as ye would that others should do unto last at Magdalena Bay. To supply you." The law of love was substituted for force. Up to that time the many colliers and chartered ships progress of the world had been but slight. Men hunted and plundered are reported to be occupying Mervian one another. War was their occupa-

Since the law of love was given to is a decided disadvantage and the the world, progress has been possible. Russia to assist them. naval department would regard any In its light and under its influence

the brutal punishment which was gon. Why not? Is Oregon still linghaustion? Is this Russia? Has not union, Oregon, progressed beyond the standard of the Turk, or the Persian? There is no wrong or evil which can not be corrected by imprisonment better than by the brutal

-Dr. J. G. Goble, the well known optician of Medford, will visit Coos Bay towns during September. Dates given later. .

#### TURKS SLAUGHTER WOMEN AND BABES

Teheran, Aug. 27.-General Dowieh and other officials, according to reports received, have been captured and afterwards killed by invading Turks. Many inoffensive Persian vilwomen were carried off and property destroyed. Turkish regulars with artillery were within four miles of Urmiah, August 15, and continue to occupy Persian territory. The Turks Persian Kurdestan. The inhabitants have telegraphed that the government is powerless and the people beg

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